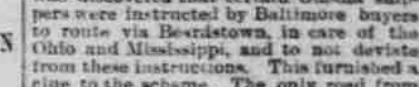


ariff rate is twenty-six cents; but it has been known for several weeks that a better rate was given by way of the Burlington



vestige of adoubt that Chicagois to have a new outlet to the southwest by means of

"Is it time that the move is due in any manner to an endeavor of the Standard Oil millionaires to recoup losses made through investments they went into on

the strength of Mr. Jay Gould's advice?" "There's nothing in that story," by Mr. Cable, the belief is general that the Rockefeller Bros. are at the back of the move, and that they are endeavoring to get control of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad. It is well known that the Rockefeller family holds a large amount of the affairs of the Rock Island and have invested in its stock, though they are still far from being in control.

Notwithstanding these maneuvers have been the most interesting topic of discussion on Wall street. When they have been pushed to the point where they are now, it is said to divert a large portion of the traffic that now goes over the Gould lines. The prospect is especially pleasing to the Rockefeller.

THE CREEK DELEGATION.

WASHINGTON, JAN. 13.—The delegation, consisting of G. W. Grimes, J. S. Speas, R. B. Smith, and J. H. Smith, representing the Creek nation, Indian Territory, arrived at Washington on the 9th inst. and yesterday morning they were introduced to the Indian affairs and filed their credentials.

with him. At this interview two very important subjects were raised, one by the delegation and the other by Commissioner Morgan. The delegation made inquiry of

the commissioner in reference to the decision reported to have been rendered by Assistant Attorney General Smith with regard to the rights of mixed-blooded Indians. The delegation asked the commissioner what he thought of the decision, and he thought of it. The commissioner asked them what they thought about the decision. The delegation said that they thought the decision of Mr. Smith will work harm to the Indians. The commissioner wanted to know if they thought that the decision that half-bred Indians from white fathers and Indian mothers are to be regarded as United States citizens should operate to the disadvantage of the Creek people. The Creeks replied that from time immemorial it has been their custom to determine the nationality of any person by the mother.

rather than their father. They said that the old Indians have always maintained that while there may be in some instances some questions as to the integrity of a

some questions as to the sovereignty of a person there cannot be any question. That is one thing which is common to all the states subjected by the Creek national legislature, and it would be very difficult to persuade the Creeks otherwise. This same idea pervades and controls all the internal, social and governmental regime of the Creek people. It determines the town and the clan to which each individual member of the nation belongs. The commissioner replied that he was inclined to favor the position of the delegates on this question.

The commissioner asked the delegates if they wanted statehood. They replied that

their people were not ready for statehood, and that they were not ready to entertain that question. The commissioner replied that he also was not authorized to make

any such terms, but simply wanted to get their views on the subject.

NEW CORPORATIONS.

TOPEKA, Kan. Jan. 12.—The following charters of new Kansas corporations have been filed with the secretary of state:

The Kansas City Sand and Dredging company, capital stock, \$20,000. Directors: Michael Tandy, Kansas City, Mo.; T. J.

The Greenfield Clothing company of
 1000 Greenfield street, Kansas City, Kan.

The State Exchange bank of Jamestown, Cloud county; capital stock, \$2,000. Directors: F. F. Kellogg, Jamestown, P. F. Everest, Courtland; John O. Hanson, K. Prince and K. M. Barton of Jamestown.

The Chelsea Congregational church, Trustees: W. G. Williams, Jesse L. Wil-

The Advent Christian church of Formosa, Jewell county. Trustees, R. G.

Patterson, R. Murfaint, H. K. Hoyt,
John R. Kelly, DeWitt Plaza, S. P. Morse
and A. Henry.
Warwick Lodge No. 44, Knights of Py-
thias, of Wichita. Trustees, W. H. Bridg-
emuth, W. E. Reeves and John
Townner.
Kanopolis Lodge, No. 331, I. O. O. F.
Trustees, Walter B. Essick, Smith Crum
and C. S. Bala.
The Co-operative Milling and Elevator
company of Valley Center, Sedgewick
county, capital stock, \$25,000.

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 12.—The twenty-first annual meeting of the Kansas state board of agriculture was held today in representative hall. President A. W.

Smith called the meeting to order. The day session was taken up with routine business. In the evening the secretary spoke of his investigations in the New England states into the condition of agriculture. Joshua Wheeler spoke of economy in the feeding of farm animals and Edward Snyder read a paper on live stock exchanges.

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